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Applicant: Sandor Sipka et al

Serial No.: 10/651,136

Group Art Unit: 1644

Filed: August 28, 2003

Examiner: P. Nolan

For: **Processes For Inhibiting Development of Allergic Disease**

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Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

In the Official Action dated January 12, 2006, the Examiner required elections under 35 U.S.C. §121 of a single disclosed species of a route of exposure and of an exposed subject, to which the claims shall be restricted if no generic claim is finally held to be allowable. The Examiner asserted that claims 1-4 and 16-19 are generic.

Applicants hereby elect a route of exposure comprising an aerosol and an exposed subject comprising a human. It is believed that claims 1-6, 10, 13 and 16-19 read on the elected species.

Examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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